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# CAME TO MARRY HER.

She Had Changed Her Mind and He Proceeded to Shoot.  
Nashville, Jan. 29.—K. P. York, Tipton county farmer, arrived at Covington today with his six children for the purpose of marrying Mrs. Pimm. The woman told him when they met that she had changed her mind. York began shooting indiscriminately. He shot Mrs. Pimm in the face, and shot and wounded her two nephews severely. He was arrested. He had been married eight times, six of his wives were divorced.

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# LETTER LIST.

List of letters unclaimed in the Post office at Ardmore, I. T., for the week ending Jan. 23, 1902.

**Ladies.**  
Adams, Mrs. Emma.  
Boyd, Mrs. Sue  
Campbell, Miss Rachel  
Chaitman, Mrs. G. A. 2  
Clark, Mrs. H.  
Cotnam, Mrs. Lou  
Crews, Mrs. E. D. 2  
Douglass, Miss Susie  
Hill, Mrs. A. H.  
Humea, Mrs. Matilda  
Johnson, Mrs. Juda  
Johnson, Miss Pearl  
Jones, Mrs. Essie. 2  
Lacy, Mrs. Laura  
Ligon, Miss Tullie  
May, Mrs. Frank  
Moore, Miss Zettie  
Mugraves, Mrs. Sarah  
Nelson, Mrs. Tempy.  
Oliver, Miss Sadie  
Phillips, Ruth  
Perkins, Mrs. S. E.  
Perkins, Raie  
Rendall, Mrs. Gracie G.  
Russell, Mrs. Julia  
Shores, Miss Tinnie. 2  
Stearns, Mrs. Ida  
Summers, Miss Carry  
Travis, Mrs. Mollie  
Williams, Mrs. Mary  
Wilson, Mrs. Silvia  
Young, Mrs. Emma.  
Gentlemen.

# CALMING THE ALARMIST

No Danger of War Between Uncle Sam and Germany.

**FEARS OF BIGELOW DISPELLED.**

Kaiser's Request to the President to Allow Miss Roosevelt to Christen His New Yacht Considered a Most Significant Political Peace Offering, Stamping All Talk of War as Preposterous.

"Within the next six months we may fight Germany just as easily as we fought Spain," said Poultney Bigelow, the able and well known expert on the German emperor. Now, he, too, seems to have joined the possible war with Germany shouters. Senator Lodge, according to an editorial in the New York World, is the chief exponent of this idea. He has warned the country from his place in the senate, vigorously pounding his desk and melodiously rolling his r's. Wise old men in the senate say Lodge wants another war so that he can write a history about it. Has the alert Bigelow the same ambition?

If this bloody conflict is impending, the public that must furnish the men and money for the enterprise should be told where it will be fought. Will the United States raise a million men and send them to Germany? How will the invaders be transported? Where will they land? How will they be fed, with a base of supplies 2,000 miles away, or is that problem to be solved by the capitulation of Germany's 2,000,000 soldiers as soon as the United States fleet appears in the offing? Perhaps Germany will elect to fight in this country. How will her million men be brought here and where will they land? Would nothing happen to them on the way across, with the American navy to dispute the passage? Is it to be a naval war? Then Germany is in blind ignorance of the relative strength of the navies of the two countries? Or have the Lodges and the Bigelows discovered a vast and misty plain midway between the seas, neutral ground where the armies can clash?

Will the distinguished and prophetic Mr. Bigelow please answer?

One of the peculiar reasons for Poultney Bigelow's forebodings is found in this paragraph of his speech:

"When the German aristocrat realizes that the United States has invaded Europe for the purpose of dominating the market, he is just ignorant and conceited enough to believe he can improve conditions by a fight for commercial supremacy."

If this were true, which is more than doubtful, the German aristocrat would be as ignorant and conceited as many American journalists and some senators. The German emperor and the German statesmen are able men and have full and complete information. They know that geographically Germany is more exposed to danger than any country in Europe. The empire is surrounded by foes, some of them hereditary and most of them malignant. With France on the west sighing for revenge, with Russia on the east waiting for an opportunity, Austria to the south remembering Sadowa and Silesia, Denmark in the north still pining for Sleswick-Holstein and discontented Poles and French within her borders, no country is so completely surrounded by dangerous neighbors. Invasion of the United States would mean an invasion of Germany by some one or all of them as soon as the German transports were hulled down on the horizon.

Emperor William has talked foolishly at times, but he has acted foolishly rarely. The impression that he holds war lightly is absolutely untrue. His whole record proves the contrary. He is anxious to preserve peace with France, with Russia, with Austria, with England, with everybody. He maintains a marvelous army, but he has been studiously courteous to the countries with which he might easily be at odds. He may be the war lord for home consumption—come papers are fond of so dubbing him—but it is preposterous to talk of the kaiser as an autocrat who could declare war, even if he would, by the snap of his fingers or the stamp of his foot. Emperor William can no more declare war of his own volition than can Mr. Poultney Bigelow. His powers are limited by the constitution, by the bundesrath and the representatives of the twenty odd sovereign states of Germany without whose consent no war can be declared, by the German parliament, public opinion—yes, by the press.

Any one familiar with the literature of German politics, and especially the interesting Bismarck literature, cannot fail to be impressed by the extraordinary importance Bismarck himself attached to the power of the press as an indispensable agency in the shaping of public opinion. He may have despised the press as sometimes exceedingly inconvenient and disagreeable to his plans, but all the lives of Bismarck, whether that of Busch or Bucher or Low or Poschinger or Kendall or his own memoirs, show an incessant activity on his part to dictate, inspire, prompt and revise political editorials and manipulate the press in all parts of the country. Now, the press of Germany is intelligent, moderate, conservative and careful of its responsibilities. It certainly is more conscientious and far less jingo than some of our own sensational senators and jingo journalists. We venture to assert that if any person, politician or newspaper in Germany were to talk of war with the United States he would be regarded as contemptible, unpatriotic, suspected of unsoundness of mind and accused of being an enemy of his own country. The emperor himself is a man of

ideas. He wants friends, not foes. His request to the president to allow Miss Roosevelt to christen his yacht was more than an ordinary international courtesy. It was a most significant political peace offering. In making that request and in sending his only brother, Prince Henry, to this country the emperor extends the right hand of fellowship to the United States. Twenty-five years ago such an act would have been laughed at in all the courts of Europe. Now there is not a sovereign who is not envious of the kaiser's bold and brilliant thought and jealous of our hearty acceptance. In reality the act is a recognition straight out in the eyes of all the world of the new greatness of the United States, of our new rank, our new power and our new influence. It is a new signpost pointing to our splendid future. And it carries with it the declaration that all talk of war between Germany and the United States is but "the babble of fools or knaves—preposterous or criminal."

# "A SAILOR'S FRIENDSHIP."

Prince Henry Thus Refers to His Relations With Rear Admiral Evans.

Reference made by Prince Henry, the kaiser's representative at the launching of his new yacht in this country, to "an old sailor's friendship" between himself and Rear Admiral Robley D. Evans is explained in the following extract from "A Sailor's Log," in which the author devotes a chapter to the Kiel celebration, which he attended in command of the armored cruiser New York:

"At a reception given on board one of the German battleships I had an interesting experience. When I went over the side, I found a large company, most of them dancing. As I was not a dancing man I stood on one side to be out of the way and entered into conversation with a young, clean looking German captain, who spoke English perfectly. It was soon evident to me that he was brilliant in his profession, and we engaged in a rather sharp professional talk. I did not agree with the captain, whose name I had not caught, and I did not hesitate to speak my mind, nor did he. After a time he said he would be glad to present me to his wife, and I found her a very charming and attractive woman. Of course I had not caught her name either, but after talking with her for half an hour I noticed that a good many people seemed to be waiting to speak to her, so I took myself to the smoking compartment to enjoy a cigar. When I entered, Admiral Knorr greeted me and said:

"Evans, the prince says you are a good fellow, and he wants the emperor to know you."

"I replied:

"My dear admiral, I have not seen the prince and don't know him."

"Well," he said, "you ought to know him. You have been talking shop to him for half an hour, and I don't know what you have been saying to the prince during the conversation with her."

"I had been talking with two of the most delightful people I ever met, Prince Henry and the Princess Irene, without knowing in the least who they were, and I certainly told them both exactly what I thought about the different things we discussed."

# A MOUNTAIN OF GOLD.

Senator Helfield Tells of Wonderful Find of Valuable Metal.

Out in Idaho is a newly discovered mountain of gold. Senator Helfield, who came to Washington the other day from that state, tells the story, says the Philadelphia Times. He says that the people of Idaho have gone wild over the discovery. In the center of the state is Thunder mountain. It is 150 miles from anywhere. The city of Boise is 200 miles away, and it is a long and arduous trail from the nearest railroad until the foot of the mountain is reached.

Senator Helfield says, however, that before next summer 10,000 people will be camped where there are now only about 100. And all because the richest find of gold ever known in Idaho is located in the mountain. For two or three years, according to Mr. Helfield, two men have been walking over the mountain because they believed it contained gold. Their patient search was finally rewarded by seeing an outcropping of quartz, and then they began to dig. They ran a rude tunnel into the side of the mountain and brought out gold enough to induce a capitalist to take a small interest in the mine for \$100,000. He came east, organized a company with \$3,000,000 capital and is now preparing to take out gold on a large scale. Senator Helfield says that it is expected that in a short time enough gold will have been taken out to pay the cost of establishing the mine.

The mountain is thirteen miles long and from present indications is full of decomposed quartz which will yield from \$15 to \$100 in gold per ton.

# Graham Plans a Long Swim.

Carlisle D. Graham of Lockport, N. Y., who obtained a reputation as a swimmer by swimming the whirlpool rapids at Niagara falls, now proposes to swim through the whirlpool rapids to Youngstown, thence to Toronto and down Lake Ontario and through the rapids of the St. Lawrence river to Montreal, a distance of about 300 miles, in thirty days, says the New York Times. Graham will depend for assistance in carrying out his purpose upon a suit of cork, which he is now having made in New York. Of course he will not remain in the water thirty days, but will swim only so far each day as he pleases and will leave the water whenever and as frequently as he desires. A small boat will accompany him.

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